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FOREIGN.

[Reports received from United States consuls through the Department of State and from other sources.]

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox as reported to the Supervising Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service, January 1 to April 22, 1898.

CHOLERA.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
India:				
Bombay	Nov. 24-Nov. 30.....		4	
	Dec. 1-Mar. 1.....		55	
	Mar. 2-Mar. 22.....		8	
Calcutta.....	Nov. 14-Dec. 4.....		42	
	Dec. 5-Jan. 1.....		31	
	Jan. 2-Jan. 29.....		28	
	Jan. 30-Feb. 26.....		82	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 12.....		43	
Madras.....	Nov. 20-Dec. 10.....		8	
	Dec. 4-Dec. 31.....		11	
	Jan. 1-Jan. 28.....		45	
	Jan. 29-Mar. 11.....		26	
Singapore.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 30.....		1	
	Dec. 1-Dec. 31.....		1	

YELLOW FEVER.

Brazil:				
Bahia.....	Dec. 27.....	3	2	Taken off of Nor. bk. Adonis.
	Dec. 29.....	6	1	
Ceara.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 30.....		1	
Para.....	Dec. 12-Jan. 1.....		24	Yellow fever reported.
	Jan. 2-Jan. 15.....		22	
	Jan. 16-Feb. 28.....		30	
Ribeirao Bonito.....	Feb. 1-Feb. 28.....	79	19	
Rio de Janeiro.....	Nov. 21-Dec. 4.....	1	3	
	Dec. 5-Jan. 1.....	8	17	
	Jan. 1-Jan. 29.....	22	225	
	Jan. 30-Mar. 18.....	183	11	
Sao Carlos de Pinhal.....	Feb. 28.....	46	1	
Santos	Jan. 2-Jan. 8.....	1	1	
	Jan. 23-Jan. 29.....	3	3	A few cases of yellow fever, but impossible to obtain statistics.
	Jan. 30-Feb. 28.....	21	1	
Sao Paulo.....	Feb. 1-Feb. 28.....	2	2	
Cuba:				
Cienfuegos.....	Dec. 20-Jan. 2.....		2	
	Jan. 3-Jan. 23.....		1	
Habana	Dec. 17-Dec. 30.....		6	
	Dec. 31-Jan. 27.....		9	
	Jan. 28-Feb. 17.....		3	
	Mar. 4-Mar. 31.....		4	
Manzanillo.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 31.....		28	
	Jan. 1-Jan. 31.....		9	
	Feb. 14-Feb. 28.....		3	
Matanzas.....	Dec. 15-Jan. 19.....		4	
	Feb. 9-Feb. 23.....		2	
Regla.....	Dec. 31-Feb. 28.....		7	
	Mar. 1-Mar. 24.....		2	
Sagua la Grande.....	Dec. 18-Jan. 20.....		6	
Santiago de Cuba.....	Dec. 19-Jan. 29.....		1	
Jamaica:				
Kingsston.....	Dec. 19-Jan. 1.....	1	1	
	Jan. 2-Jan. 31.....	2	2	
	Feb. 5-Feb. 19.....	2	1	
St. Andrew.....	Dec. 19-Jan. 1.....	1	1	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 5.....	1	1	
St. Catherine.....	Dec. 19-Jan. 1.....	1	1	
St. Elizabeth.....	Dec. 19-Jan. 1.....	1	1	

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PLAGUE.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Arabia:				
Jiddah.....	Mar. 25.....		3	
China:				
Hongkong.....	Nov. 7-Nov. 20...	2	2	
	Dec. 18-Jan. 1...	2	2	
	Jan. 2-Jan. 29...	6	5	
	Jan. 30-Feb. 19...	18	14	
India:				
Bombay	Nov. 24-Nov. 30...		70	
	Dec. 1-Feb. 8...		4,833	
	Feb. 9-Mar. 1...		3,436	
	Mar. 2-Mar. 22...		3,601	
Japan:				
Taiwan (Formosa).....	Dec. 28-Mar. 23...	113		

SMALLPOX.

Bohemia:				
Prague.....	Dec. 12-Jan. 1...	11		
	Jan. 2-Mar. 26...	93		
Brazil:				
Pernambuco	Dec. 1-Dec. 25...		8	
Rio de Janeiro.....	Nov. 21-Dec. 4...	10		
	Dec. 5-Jan. 1...	9	1	
	Jan. 1-Mar. 11...	1	1	
	Feb. 1-Feb. 23...	24	4	
Sao Paulo.....	Dec. 16-Jan. 30...	32	10	
Sorocaba.....				
Canada:				
Maissonneuve.....	Jan. 26-Feb. 16...	3		
Montreal.....	Jan. 3-Jan. 12...	3	0	
	Feb. 11-Feb. 16...	1		
China:				
Hongkong	Nov. 7-Dec. 4...	6	4	
	Dec. 5-Jan. 1...	11	8	
	Jan. 2-Feb. 19...	131	80	
Cuba:				
Cardenas.....	Dec. 19-Jan. 22...		5	
	Mar. 6-Mar. 27...		8	
Cienfuegos	Dec. 20-Jan. 2...		7	
	Jan. 3-Jan. 23...		19	
	Feb. 7-Feb. 27...		35	
	Feb. 28-Apr. 3...		9	
Habana	Dec. 17-Apr. 7...		154	
Matanzas.....	Jan. 20-Feb. 23...		8	
Regla	Feb. 18-Apr. 7...		3	
Sagua la Grande.....	Dec. 19-Jan. 23...	233	29	
	Jan. 30-Feb. 26...	470	35	
	Feb. 27-Apr. 4...	437	26	
England:				
Bristol.....	Feb. 6-Feb. 19...	1		
Gibraltar.....	Mar. 13-Mar. 27...	3		
Liverpool.....	Jan. 15-Jan. 29...	3		
	Feb. 1-Apr. 2...	6		
London.....	Feb. 27-Mar. 26...	4		
Middlesborough.....	Feb. 9.....	90		
Newcastle on Tyne.....	Mar. 19-Mar. 26...	1		
Southampton.....	Jan. 8-Feb. 12...	2		
Sunderland.....	Dec. 18-Jan. 8...	1		
	Feb. 27-Mar. 26...	4		
West Hartlepool	Jan. 9-Jan. 22...	5		
Germany:				
Hamburg.....	Mar. 6-Mar. 12...	2		
Gibraltar.....	Dec. 6-Dec. 12...	1		
	Dec. 27-Jan. 30...	2		
India:				
Bombay.....	Feb. 9-Mar. 22...		9	
Calcutta.....	Dec. 19-Dec. 25...		1	
	Jan. 30-Mar. 12...		16	
Madras.....	Nov. 27-Dec. 3...		1	
	Dec. 4-Dec. 31...		3	
	Jan. 1-Jan. 23...		6	
	Jan. 29-Feb. 4...		6	
	Feb. 5-Mar. 11...		29	
Italy:				
Messina.....	Dec. 12-Jan. 8...		5	
	Jan. 30-Feb. 26...		2	

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SMALLPOX—Continued.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Japan:				
Aichi Ken.....	Dec. 28-Mar. 23...	4	
Akita Ken.....	Dec. 28-Mar. 23...	14	4	
Awomori Ken.....	Dec. 28-Mar. 23...	30	3	
Chiba Ken.....	Dec. 28-Feb. 3...	6	.....
Formosa.....	Feb. 4-Mar. 3...	7	4	
Fukui Ken.....	Dec. 28-Feb. 3...	1	.....
Fukushima Ken.....	Dec. 28-Mar. 23...	81	22	
Gifu Ken.....	Feb. 4-Feb. 22...	1	.....
Gumma Ken.....	Feb. 4-Feb. 22...	1	.....
Hiroshima Ken.....	Jan. 22-Feb. 3...	1	.....
Iwate Ken.....	Dec. 28-Mar. 23...	39	4	
Kagoshima Ken.....	Feb. 4-Feb. 22...	1	.....
Kanagawa Ken.....	Dec. 28-Jan. 21...	3	.....
Kochi Ken.....	Dec. 28-Jan. 21...	1	.....
Miyagi Ken.....	Dec. 17-Dec. 27...	2	3	
	Dec. 28-Mar. 23...	57	15	
Miyazaki Ken.....	Jan. 22-Feb. 3...	3	1	
Nagano Ken.....	Feb. 4-Mar. 23...	9	5	
Nagasaki Ken.....	Jan. 22-Mar. 23...	4	1	
Niigata Ken.....	Mar. 4-Mar. 23...	4	1	
Okayama Ken.....	Feb. 4-Feb. 22...	2	1	
Osaka Fu.....	Dec. 28-Feb. 22...	2	.....
Oyama Ken.....	Mar. 4-Mar. 23...	1	1	
Saitama Ken.....	Dec. 17-Dec. 27...	1	.....
Tokyo Fu.....	Dec. 28-Mar. 23...	6	.....
Yamagata Ken.....	Jan. 22-Mar. 23...	29	8	
Yamaguchi Ken.....	Feb. 4-Feb. 22...	9	.....
Yehime Ken.....	Dec. 17-Mar. 23...	52	12	
The Hokkaido.....	Dec. 17-Dec. 27...	70	26	
	Dec. 28-Mar. 23...	353	96	
Norway:				
Christiania.....	Mar. 20-Mar. 26...	4	.....
Netherlands:				
Amsterdam.....	Dec. 12-Dec. 24...	1	.....
Rotterdam.....	Dec. 12-Dec. 31...	3	1	
	Jan. 1-Jan. 29...	1	.....
Russia:				
Moscow.....	Nov. 23-Dec. 4...	1	1	
	Dec. 5-Dec. 11...	1	1	
	Jan. 1-Mar. 26...	14	6	
Odessa.....	Dec. 5-Jan. 1...	53	9	
	Jan. 2-Jan. 29...	34	7	
	Jan. 30-Mar. 26...	46	8	
St. Petersburg.....	Dec. 4-Dec. 25...	35	13	
	Jan. 9-Jan. 29...	56	19	
	Jan. 30-Mar. 19...	.....	32	
Warsaw.....	Dec. 19-Mar. 26...	.....	71	
Scotland:				
Glasgow.....	Dec. 5-Dec. 25...	3	1	
Spain:				
Corunna.....	Jan. 1-Feb. 5...	.....	2	
Madrid.....	Dec. 22-Dec. 28...	.....	1	
	Feb. 8-Feb. 23...	.....	2	
Turkey:				
Constantinople.....	Jan. 10-Feb. 6...	.....	53	
	Feb. 28-Mar. 13...	.....	18	
Uruguay:				
Montevideo.....	Dec. 25-Jan. 1...	1	.....
Venezuela:				
Puerto Cabello and Valencia.	Apr. 2-Apr. 9...	20	.....
Wales:				
Cardiff.....	Dec. 18-Dec. 24...	1	.....

BRAZIL.

Sanitary report from Rio de Janeiro.

CONSULATE-GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Rio de Janeiro, March 23, 1898.

SIR: I am very sorry that I can't send you to-day the usual weekly report. The employees of the head hospital, Santa Casa de Misericordia,